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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: L. K. Pham
Kazue KANEKO et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2174
Application No.: 10/687,697	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2836
Filed: October 20, 2003	)	
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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS )		February 25, 2009
AND INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD :		

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT & SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated November 25, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: